

COUNTRY

TOPIC Soviet Troops in Pasewalk

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EVALUATION 222 below

PLACE OBTAINED

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REFERENCES

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1. A unit was seen marching from the drill field south of the Kavallerie Kaserne on Rosa-Luxemburg-Strasse, Pasewalk (W 54/0 61), into the barracks installation on 28 December 1951. It consisted of: 2 sections, each of 1 NCO and 15 EM; 2 sections, each of 1 NCO and 24 EM; 2 sections, each of 1 NCO and 36 EM; 1 section of 1 NCO and 42 EM; and 1 section of 1 NCO and 66 EM. Each section was equipped with three mortars and, except for two soldiers carrying submachine guns, all of the troops carried carbines. The second portion of the unit consisted of three sections, each consisting of 1 NCO and 15 men and equipped with four wire reels. Four soldiers of each section carried climbers and the others, submachine guns. The unit was followed by 6 male and 2 female officers.

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- * ☐ Comment. ☐ confirms the 33d Gds Ltz Rifle Regt of the 9th Gds Tank Div in Pasewalk up to 31 December 1951. The unit described in paragraph 1 of the present report probably consisted of the three mortar companies belonging to the three motorized rifle battalions, and of components of the mortar battalion which returned to the installation following a joint practice at the drill field.

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